

## PLAN TO FURNISH CALVERT MANSION

Interstate Reception at Hyattsville.

SEVERAL ROOMS DEDICATED

Grover Cleveland Writes Commending Devoting One Chamber of House to Thomas Jefferson.

HYATTSVILLE, Md., March 17.—Rosa Villa, the home of Captain and Mrs. George Beale Read, at Riverdale, was the scene of a reception given last night to the regents and patronesses of the Calvert Mansion. About thirty guests, representing twelve States, most of them members of the American Historical Congress, were present.

The reception rooms were decorated with flowers, lavender predominating. The guests were entertained by instrumental music by W. Gray Hawley.

Guests From Many States.

Those present were Miss Mary Goode, associate regent from Virginia; Miss E. P. Lamason and Miss Julia Reanhard, regents from Pennsylvania; Miss R. L. Webster, Mrs. William Eugene Webster, Mrs. J. A. Coleman, of New York; Miss Miles, of Michigan; Miss Ella Goode, Miss Mamie Coleman, Miss Isabella Novell, of Chase City, Va.; Miss Alice Reed, J. Harry McKenna, Miss Priscilla Alden Coleman, of Norfolk, Va.; C. D. Wunder, of Philadelphia; John Alden Carmack, of Nashville, Tenn.; James A. Norris, of Alexandria; Herbert E. Wood, of Annapolis, Md.; Warner Cackhoff, of Pennsylvania; Miss Elsie B. Goode, of Lynchburg, Tenn.; James W. Goodwin, of Baltimore, Md.; William Wilson, of Texas; Miss David E. Bentley, regent of New York; Mrs. R. A. Bennett, a vice regent of Minnesota; and Mrs. George Beale Read, regent of Virginia.

Plans were discussed for the immediate furnishing of the Calvert Mansion. The work is being done under the auspices of the American Historical Congress, which holds its charter from New York State.

The historic Calvert Mansion will be one of a number of colonial buildings which the congress is establishing throughout the East. Each of the thirteen States has a room dedicated to the State and placed in charge of the State regent. California, Illinois, Louisiana, and Minnesota have applied for rooms in the mansion.

The former grand saloon will be devoted to music. A bust of John Howard Payne, author of "Home, Sweet Home," has already been obtained.

Room for John Hay.

Another interesting feature of the building will be the John Hay Memorial room.

The officers of the society received a letter from ex-President Grover Cleveland commending the enterprise and especially endorsing the action in setting aside a room for the room dedicated to the State and placed in charge of the State regent.

The pillars on the front and rear porches of the mansion were originally designed for the United States Capitol, but were found to be too short and were later purchased by the Calvert estate.

## ARMY AND NAVY UNION HOLDS BIG MEETING

All the local garrisons of the Army and Navy Union were represented at the meeting of Admiral D. D. Porter garrison last night. Capt. Hugh H. Henry presided.

The initiatory degree was conferred upon Lieutenant Elliott, of the Tenth police precinct, formerly of the Sixth United States Cavalry and Third Artillery. In response to the invitation of Capt. J. W. McCall, of the American Soldier Blue and Gray organization, an attempt will be made to send a delegation to the convention of this organization at Atlantic City, March 28 and 29. A St. Patrick's social session followed the meeting.

## LIEUTENANT MOORE DIES AT HOSPITAL

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2, 1892, he was made an acting sergeant. From July to September of that year he served at the Third precinct, but in the fall he was again transferred to No. 1, the precinct in which he had earned for himself a most enviable record.

Lieutenant Moore married with and was respected by some of the city's most prominent and substantial business men. There was nothing in his conduct or conversation that would lead one to believe that he had never attended a full session of school in his life, but such was the case nevertheless.

On January 16, 1899, Sergeant Moore was chosen from all the rest to succeed Lieut. John Kelly. He took command of the Sixth precinct, and the result is that No. 6 today is regarded as one of the most efficient in the department. When Lieutenant Amis was promoted to a captaincy on October 1, Lieutenant Moore was transferred there, because No. 1 needed the best lieutenant in the police department.

Subscriptions for floral offerings were taken up at Police Headquarters by Captain Gessford, and at other stations by the desk sergeants.

Full arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed. The services will probably be held in the Douglas Memorial Church on Monday or Tuesday, and the remains will be laid to rest in Congressional Cemetery. A detail of policemen under command of a captain or lieutenant will attend the services in this city. Eight policemen who served under Lieutenant Moore will act as pallbearers.

A general order in which the death of Lieutenant Moore will be officially announced to the members of the force will be promulgated by Captain Gessford this afternoon.

## BURBANK IS BUSY

Luther Burbank, the wizard of horticulture, of Santa Rosa, says he gets no more visitors bothering him. And we don't blame him. How can he perfect a tree from cumbars and watermelons in afternoon seasons with a lot of folks around asking fool questions?—Los Angeles Express.

## COFFEE DISAGREES WITH MANY

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## POSTUM

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## Citizen Associations Air Their Grievances

South Washington Opposes Proposed Railroad Yards.

COMMISSIONERS BLAMED

Residents Say the Freight Sheds Will Prove Serious Menace to Their Section.

"When the Commissioners of the District of Columbia cease to be the representatives of the wishes of the people and become the slaves of corporate interests they are no longer worthy to be called Americans."

"The greatest good to the greatest number is what they are supposed to seek, not what I am sorry to say, seems to have been forgotten by them," was the statement made by Dr. Millard F. Thompson before the South Washington Citizens' Association last night at their regular monthly meeting in Grace Parish Hall. The statement was made in his protest against the action of the Commissioners in approving the bill providing for the establishment of freight yards on Virginia avenue between Four-and-a-half and Seventh streets.

Indignation Gathering.

When the railroad question was brought before the association, the meeting was literally changed to an indignation gathering. It was stated that without consulting the interests of the citizens of South Washington the Commissioners approved a bill providing for the location of freight yards on Virginia avenue between Four-and-a-half and Seventh streets by the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company. The yards are to have a capacity for 125 cars, 40 feet long, making more than one mile of cars to be continually standing in the heart of the city. The citizens claim that the health and beauty of the city and rights of property owners will be sacrificed if the proposed yards are materialized.

School and Church in Jeopardy.

Two churches and three blocks of houses will have to be destroyed, besides the abandonment of the Jefferson school, the largest public institution in the Southwest. The members claimed that the smoke from the railroad engines will fill the rooms of the school which is opposite the site of the proposed yards and that to close the windows in the heat of summer will be a menace to the health of the children. Some asserted that the children would be unable to sleep on account of the noise from the shifting engines.

Members of the citizens' association claimed that they had been treated with unfairness by the Commissioners when they were informed that such a bill was pending. They assert that the bill was approved in December without the consent or the knowledge of any of the citizens affected. The railroads have been given more by the Commissioners and tolerated with more forbearance by the citizens during the past year than ever before according to those present at the meeting last night.

The citizens' association waited upon the Commissioners with a formal protest against the location of the yards, but they stated that they had been treated with a courtesy and consideration at the audience which had been given to the committee. It was decided to frame a bill of protest and submit it to the proper committee of Congress within the next forty-eight hours.

## GARRISON UNDER ARMS FOR BERLIN ANNIVERSARY

BERLIN, March 17.—The authorities are making great preparations to suppress any revolutionary disturbances which may be attempted tomorrow, when the socialists will celebrate the anniversary of the Berlin rebellion of 1848.

The socialists have called 105 meetings and it is feared that the speeches glorifying the leaders of that rebellion may incite the people to an attempt to follow the example of the rebels. The entire garrison will remain under arms for eighteen hours before and after the meetings. Special precautions have been taken to prevent demonstrations before the windows of the Kaiser's palace.

## DEATH RECORD.

John R. Brooks, 3 months, 2205 Ninth street northwest.

Sarah E. Eckloff, 71 years, 49 H street northwest.

Jane L. Forster, 82 years, 330 Brant street.

Theodore Frazier, 15 months, 483 L street southwest.

Edna L. Gray, 18 months, 1721 Vermont avenue northwest.

David Hammett, 43 years, 1511 Thirty-fourth street northwest.

Robert Harris, 2 years, 611 Virginia avenue southwest.

Hazel L. Jones, 15 years, 816 H street northeast.

Samuel Jay Kauffmann, 76 years, 1421 Massachusetts avenue northeast.

Jane Monteth, 73 years, 1924 Ninth street northwest.

Robert Price, 62 years, 1113 Queen street northeast.

Angeline Simms, 21 years, 710 Second street northeast.

Alice H. Smith, 55 years, 2121 R street.

Arthur G. Woolford, 6 months, 1933 Twenty-eighth street northwest.

Gottlieb Welter, 70 years, U. S. Soldiers' Home.

Ruth C. Yost, 18 years, 722 Whitney avenue.

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Brightwood Again Up in Arms Against Railway.

SERVICE IS CRITICISED

Commissioner McFarland, Speaker of the Evening, Speaks of Influence of Public Opinion.

Commissioner H. B. F. Macfarland proved an attractive speaker last night as the guest of honor of the Brightwood Citizens' Association at their regular monthly meeting at the Brightwood Hotel, using as his theme "The Influence of Public Opinion."

"Public opinion," declared Mr. Macfarland, "has far more influence here than elsewhere. This is so because we have no political affiliations to interfere with, no political parties, no political doctrines to divide citizens' associations, which are organized to urge municipal needs. The power of harmonious public opinion is shown when it comes undivided to the District Building and to the committees of Congress."

Commissioner Macfarland concluded his address with a fine tribute to the life work and character of the late Samuel H. Kauffmann.

Brightwood Railroad Scored.

At the business meeting which preceded the Commissioner's address, several resolutions of importance received the endorsement of the association. One introduced by Michael Sullivan recommended legislation to secure the extension of Fourteenth and Sixteenth streets from their present termini to the District line.

A resolution scoring the Brightwood Railroad Company for its "indifference to patrons, insufficient power, insufficient service and insufficient attention" was introduced by August Burdorf.

The resolution declares that the present neglect of the road in question is detrimental and injurious to the section through which it traverses.

The speaker sarcastically suggested that a copy of the resolution be forwarded to the officials of the company, or is it under any sort of management? We have long ago reconciled ourselves as far as we can possibly do so, to the fact that this corporation has no regard for the interest, comfort, and well-being of the citizens of this city, but is determined to feel that it has little regard for itself."

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## IN FINANCIAL WORLD

PROFESSIONAL TRADERS SWUNG THE MARKET

Volume of Business More Apparent Than Real and Prices Small to Suit.

The spirit of the day, March 17, was too strikingly in evidence at the session of the local stock board to get down to real business, and although the record was fattened up by an appearance of trading the actual transfer of certificates will neither make nor break any of the participants. Nor will the amount of commissions realized prove specially profitable. There was too much good-humored attempts to celebrate the day on the part of those present than a disposition to become seriously interested in the course of prices and several times the musical portion broke forth into song and with variations and much discord gave sections of "Wearing of the Green" and other appropriate selections. The sales were in no way indicative of any real demand nor was there any pressure of stocks for sale. It was looked upon as a sort of holiday and the business if such it might be called, was carried on in that spirit.

FINANCIAL NEWS ITEMS.

The Great Northern Railway Company is planning to spend more than \$5,000,000 for new freight and passenger equipment this year.

Application has been made to list \$5,000,000 additional capital stock of the Delaware and Hudson Company and \$2,500,000 additional capital stock of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company on the New York Stock Exchange.

There is very little probability that the negotiations for the sale of the Southern Indiana Railway to New York, Pennsylvania, or Rock Island interests will be resumed by the Chicago bankers who are seeking to wind up the affairs of the Walsh bank.

In fact, it was intimated pretty plainly in railroad circles yesterday that the terms for the sale of the Walsh road which were made at Thursday's meeting were entirely unacceptable, and that a deal is off, so far as the New York railway officials are concerned.

While directors of the St. Paul have under consideration a plan to finance the Pacific extension, it is understood that no announcement of a bond issue will be made in the immediate future and no action in the matter will be taken until the matter is decided on the last Thursday of this month.

One of the reasons for deferring a proposed bond issue is the utter absence of a demand for securities in the bond market. The delay in announcing a financial plan will in no wise check the work on the Pacific coast extension. Plans have been completed for beginning the active work of construction as soon as the weather is propitious.

A dispatch from Chicago states that the decision of the United States Supreme Court in the ninety-nine case was as much of a surprise to local traction interests as it was to the financial district. Though city officials do not admit it they were as much surprised as anybody.

Financial circles admit that the city's victory is complete. The general belief is that this decision following Chicago last month means Mayor Dunne's re-election and the adoption of municipal ownership. In acquiring the traction lines he is in position to dictate terms.

## DIED.

CAMALIER, On Saturday, March 17, 1906, at 5 a. m., GEORGE A. CAMALIER, beloved husband of Rena Fearing Camalier, died at his residence, 1127 Sixth street northwest, at 3 p. m., Monday, March 19, Interment private.

COOKE—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 4 a. m., MISS HANNAH COOKE, in the seventy-seventh year of her age.

Papers for services at J. William Lee's Chapel, 322 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, at 3 p. m., Sunday, March 18, (Boston, Mass., and San Francisco, Cal., papers please copy.)

LECKIE—On Thursday morning, March 15, 1906, at the residence of Mrs. M. A. E. Leckie, 1335 Harvard street northwest, CATHERINE LECKIE, widow of the late Samuel Leckie, in the sixty-ninth year of her age.

Funeral from residence, 1335 Harvard street northwest, Sunday afternoon 3 o'clock. Interment will be made at Shenandoah, Pa., Monday.

WEISSER—Died March 16, at Soldiers' Home, GORDON F. WEISSER, in his 81st year. Funeral at 3 p. m., March 17, at Soldiers' Home Cemetery.

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STEEL TRUST REPORT CONCISELY STATED

Comparison of Annual Report United States Steel Corporation With 1904 Shows Great Prosperity.

	1905.	1904.	Increase.
Gross earnings	\$36,231,736	\$34,925,366	\$1,306,370
Net earnings	12,777,625	46,611,157	33,833,532
Surplus for year	17,656,415	12,017,963	5,638,452
Total surplus	84,738,450	84,738,450	0
Cash in bank	18,855,914	18,855,914	0
Wages paid	128,462,955	23,274,675	105,188,280
Number employees	180,158	22,815	157,343
Capital stock	\$65,000,000	No change	0
Total bonded debt	370,472,251	1,319,077	369,153,174
Total assets	1,627,011,251	46,797,187	1,580,214,064
One mined, tons	184,057,574	1,965,469	182,092,105
Pig iron output, tons	1,612,148	2,802,727	1,190,579
Steel rail output, tons	1,721,065	454,469	1,266,596
Finished steel, tons	2,226,268	2,423,605	207,337

The report shows that since the formation of the company it has earned net earnings of \$12,777,625 aggregating \$191,583,126 were paid on all classes of stock.

The figures demonstrate that the corporation is the largest employer of labor in the world, and aside from the interest which the 180,000 men have in the corporation, there are 5,000 people who are interested in its success or failure by reason of the fact that they own stock in it.

On every page of the report figures are given which, when placed in comparison with the reports of other corporations, made the latter enterprises look pygmy.

## RUSSIA REFUSED LOAN BY BANKERS OF BERLIN

LONDON, March 17.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from St. Petersburg, says that Herr Mendelssohn, the Berlin banker, who is in that city in connection with the proposed Russian loan, was received in audience by the czar today and that he declined to float a new Russian loan in Germany. Mendelssohn's various printing works in St. Petersburg have decided to petition the czar to restore the former censorship. They declare that under the new regime the police close their offices without giving any explanation.

## QUICK-WITTED WAITER PREVENTED SUICIDE

Thomas McNamara,